Tuesday, October 25, 2011, Downtown Memphis, TN – For the second year, the <u>Downtown Memphis Commission</u> is partnering with <u>5R Processors Ltd</u>. to celebrate <u>America Recycles Day</u> with a **Downtown e-Recycle Drive** on **Tuesday, November 15** from 3 – 6:30pm at the **Central Station pavilion** (Front and GE Patterson). Almost 7 tons of obsolete computers and electronic devices were collected at last year's inaugural drive, and organizers expect to exceed that amount this year.

Acceptable items include computers, televisions, printers, cameras, cell phones, VCRs, and CD/DVD players. A complete list of acceptable items can be found online at <a href="http://www.5rprocessors.com/index.php?">http://www.5rprocessors.com/index.php?</a>
<a href="http://www.5rprocessors.com/index.php?">option=com\_content&view=article&id=97&Itemid=130</a>. There is a \$25 processing fee for any items that contain freon. All hard drives will be cleaned using Department of Defense-approved processes, and a certificate of hard-drive cleaning will be available, if desired, for \$10 per drive. There are no other fees or charges.

The Downtown e-Recycle Drive is presented by Downtown Memphis Commission, 5R Processors Ltd., and MATA.

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